# Mountain Weather Forecast

## North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Monday 12 Apr 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 13 Apr 2021

Forecast Issued on Sunday 11 Apr 2021 at 14:52 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for mainly dry, settled and rather cold conditions through the next few days.

**Headline for Monday 12 Apr 2021:** Mainly dry, bright and cold. Light winds.

**Mountain weather hazards on Monday 12 Apr 2021**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
Medium Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Clear night | Clear night | Sunny | Sunny | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Clear night |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 10% | <05% | <05% | <05% | 10% | 10% | 10% | <05% |

**Forecast for Monday 12 Apr 2021**

**Weather:** Clear night with widespread frost then a dry and sunny morning. A bright afternoon with a few isolated light wintry showers but many places staying dry. Strong sun glare off lying snow. A mainly dry evening with clear spells and a widespread frost developing.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 95%. Any cloud staying above the summits.

**Visibility:** Mainly excellent. Isolated fog patches in the glens soon clearing. Brief reductions in any afternoon showers.

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**Forecast for Monday 12 Apr 2021**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 11/14 N | 14/17 NW | 15/19 N | 13/17 N | 9/13 N | 6/10 NW | 7/10 N | 6/8 NE | 5/7 SE |
| **900** | 6/8 NW | 7/9 NW | 8/11 NW | 7/11 N | 8/12 N | 7/11 N | 6/9 N | 6/7 E | 4/6 SE |
| **600** | 3/6 NW | 4/6 W | 4/7 W | 5/9 NW | 6/11 N | 8/12 N | 5/8 N | 4/6 NW | 3/5 SW |
| **300** | 2/3 W | 2/4 SW | 2/4 SW | 3/7 NW | 6/11 NW | 6/12 N | 5/10 N | 3/5 NE | 2/4 S |
| **Glen** | 2/6 NW | 2/7 W | 2/8 W | 3/8 NW | 5/11 N | 5/11 NW | 4/9 N | 3/5 N | 2/3 W |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | -10/-17 | -10/-18 | -10/-19 | -8/-15 | -5/-10 | -4/-8 | -6/-10 | -9/-14 | -11/-16 |
| **900** | -6/-10 | -6/-11 | -6/-12 | -4/-9 | -2/-6 | -0/-4 | -1/-4 | -3/-6 | -4/-7 |
| **600** | -3/-6 | -4/-6 | -4/-7 | -2/-5 | 1/-2 | 2/-1 | 2/-1 | -1/-4 | -2/-4 |
| **300** | -3/-5 | -4/-6 | -4/-6 | 1/-1 | 5/2 | 6/3 | 4/2 | -0/-2 | -2/-4 |
| **Glen** | -2/-4 | -4/-6 | -3/-5 | 2/0 | 6/4 | 7/5 | 5/4 | 1/-1 | -1/-3 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 00m | 00m | 00m | 100m | 300m | 400m | 400m | 300m | 200m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Early morning temperatures in the glens down to Minus 9 Celsius in coldest spots. A cold day in the hills but feeling a little warmer in the direct sun and out of the breeze.

**Forecast for Tuesday 13 Apr 2021**
**Weather:** Widespread frost overnight. A cold, dry and bright day with sunny spells but cloud increasing a little in the afternoon. Strong sun glare off lying snow.

**Maximum wind:** West or Northwest 10-15mph.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m:** 95%.

**Visibility:** Excellent.

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Minus 6C rising to Plus 7 or 8C.
**At 800m:** Minus 8C rising to Minus 1C.
**Freezing level:** All levels at first, rising to 500m.

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